

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY KUALA LUMPUR

TO SECSTATE WASHDC FLASH 833

INFO AMEMBASSY TOKYO FLASH

AMEMBASSY TRIPOLI FLASH

AMEMBASSY STOCKHOLM FLASH

AMEMBASSY SINGAPORE IMMEDIATE

C O N F I D E N T I A L KUALA LUMPUR 4599

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINS

SUBJ: TERRORIST ATTACK IN KUALA LUMPUR

1. POSSIBILITY OF PLANE GOING TO LIBYA SEEMS TO BE HOLDING FIRM. JAPANESE ARE EXTREMELY EMBARRASSED AND DEFENSIVE, PROBABLY INDICATING TRUTH THAT LIBYA AGREED ACCEPT PLANE LONG BEFORE THIS.

2. TWO MALAYSIAN OFFICIALS WHO WILL BE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOSTAGES ARE: OSMAN BIN CASSIM, SECRETARY-GENERAL, HOME AFFAIRS MINISTRY (HE IS MINISTRY'S SENIOR CIVIL SERVANT); AND RAMLI OMAR, PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY, MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (HE IS MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT AND YOUNG LEADER OF RULING UNITED MALAYS NATIONAL ORGANIZATION, UMNO).

3. A MAJOR SNAG YET TO BE RESOLVED CONCERNS ARMAMENTS. AS NOTED IN OTHER REPORTS, JAPANESE INSIST THAT ONLY UNLOADED HANDGUNS  
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BE CARRIED ABOARD PLANE.

4. TAIL NUMBER OF PLANE IS JA 8035 RPT JA 8035. CALL SIGN  
IS THE SAME.  
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## Message Attributes

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